Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 29 Sep 2020 until 23:59 on Wednesday 30 Sep 2020

Forecast Issued on Monday 28 Sep 2020 at 15:27 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a decent day on Tuesday unsettled conditions from mid week but low for daily details.

Headline for Tuesday 29 Sep 2020: Mostly dry with sunny spells, just the odd isolated shower. Fairly light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 29 Sep 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	10%	10%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: A mainly dry day with clear or sunny spells. Some cloud build-up in the early afternoon perhaps bringing the odd very isolated light shower to the Perthshire Hills.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: More than 90%, just a few summit patches in early hours and towards midnight.

Visibility: Other than a slight chance of glen fog patches at first, very good.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	17/22 SW	12/16 SW	6/8 SW	7/10 SW	8/12 SW	12/17 SW	14/21 S	22/30 S	25/35 S
900	10/16 SW	7/12 SW	6/8 SW	5/8 SW	8/12 SW	11/16 SW	12/18 S	15/23 S	17/27 S
600	10/17 W	8/13 W	5/7 SW	2/4 NW	4/9 SW	7/14 SW	10/19 S	8/18 S	9/19 S
300	5/13 W	5/11 W	4/8 W	3/6 SW	3/6 SE	6/12 SW	4/9 S	3/8 SW	3/8 S
Glen	4/9 W	4/8 W	2/5 W	2/5 W	3/7 S	7/14 SW	4/12 SW	4/8 SW	3/7 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	2/-3	2/-2	2/-1	3/-0	4/0	4/0	3/-2	2/-4	2/-4
900	4/0	3/0	3/0	4/2	6/3	6/3	5/1	4/-1	4/-1
600	6/2	5/2	5/3	6/5	9/8	9/7	7/4	6/3	5/2
300	6/4	5/3	4/3	8/8	11/11	12/11	9/8	7/6	5/4
Glen	6/4	5/3	4/2	8/8	12/12	13/11	9/8	7/6	5/4
Freezing Level*	1400m	1300m	1300m	1300m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1400m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Note the stronger winds and windchill setting on the tops after dark.

Forecast for Wednesday 30 Sep 2020

Weather: A cloudy day with occasional rain developing, much of this light during daylight hours but a few heavier outbreaks in the Ochils and Perthshire hills in the morning and turning heavier more widely in the evening.

Maximum wind: A much windier day too with southerly or southeasterly gales, speeds reaching 50 gusts 70mph on the highest tops and ridges such as Lochnagar in the morning easing down slowly in the afternoon. Marked variations in wind speed across the area.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30% and this mainly over the lower Munros, with an even smaller chance on the higher tops.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in the rain, occasionally good in drier spells away from the cloud.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 6 at midnight rising to Plus 14 in the afternoon.
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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